Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM D
NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES
PURSUANT TO REGULATION D
SECTION 4(6), AND/OR
UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION



Name of Offering (☐ check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)				
Series F Preferred Stock				
Filing under (Check box(es) that apply): ☐ Rule 504 ☐ Rule 505 ☒ Rule 506	☐ Section 4(6) ☐ ULOE			
Type of Filing: New Filing Amendment				
A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA				
Enter the information requested about the issuer				
Name of Issuer ( check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indica NimbleGen Systems Inc.	te change.)			
Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) One Science Court, Madison, Wisconsin 53711	Telephone Number (Including Area Code) (608) 218-7601			
Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) (if different from Executive Offices) <b>N/A</b>	Telephone Number (Page Area Code)			
Brief Description of Business	DPA .			
Research and development.	DEC 1 6 2005			
	THOMAS			
	FINANSON			
Type of Business Organization	MANCIAL			
	r (please specify):			
business trust limited partnership, to be formed	(F.0300 CP00)).			
MONTH YEAR				
	Actual			
Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization: (Enter two- letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation for State:				
CN for Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdic				
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# General Instructions

### Federal:

Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).

When To File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where to File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

### State:

This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on the ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix in the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

#### A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA 2. Enter the information requested for the following: Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years; Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer; Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general managing partners of partnership issuers; and Each general and managing partnership of partnership issuers. Check Box(es) that Apply: ☐ Promoter Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer ☐ Director ☐ General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Skyline Venture Partners Qualified Purchase Fund Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 525 University Ave., Suite 701 CA 94301 Palo Alto Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer ☐ Director General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) **Schott Nexterion AG** Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 3 Odell Plaza Younkers NY 10701 General and/or Check Box(es) that Apply: ☐ Promoter ☐ Executive Officer ☐ Director Beneficial Owner Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) **ITX International Equity Corporation** Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 700 East El Camino Real, Ste 200 Mountain View CA 94040 ☐ General and/or Check Box(es) that Apply: ☐ Promoter Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer ☐ Director Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Tactics II Investments LLC Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 5 Revere Drive, Ste 200 Northbrook IL 60062 Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter ⊠ Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer ☐ Director General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) NimbleGen, Inc.

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☐ Executive Officer

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☐ Director

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General and/or Managing Partner

(Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

M Beneficial Owner

(Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

Business or Residence Address

Business or Residence Address

505 South Rosa Road

Full Name (Last name first, if individual)

☐ Promoter

Venture Investors Early Stage Fund III Limited Partnership

One Science Court

Check Box(es) that Apply:

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  - Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general managing partners of partnership issuers; and
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Business or Residence Address	(Numbe	er and Street, City, State, Zi	ip Code)	<del></del>	·
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Rose, Stanley D.					
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525 University Dr., Suite 701	Palo Alto	CA	94307
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☐ Executive Officer

☐ Beneficial Owner

(Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

Check Box(es) that Apply:

Kiewel, Gerhard

Full Name (Last name first, if individual)

Business or Residence Address

Hattenbergstrasse 10

☐ Promoter

General and/or Managing Partner

D-55122

□ Director

Germany

B. INFORMATION ABOUT OFFERING					
Has the issuer sold, or does the issuer intend to sell, to non-accredited investors in this offering?	Yes . 🔲	No ⊠			
2. What is the minimum investment that will be accepted from any individual?					
3. Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?	Yes . ⊠	No			
4. Enter the information requested for each person who has been or will be paid or given, directly or indirectly, any commission or similar remuneration for solicitation of purchasers in connection with sales of securities in the offering. If a person to be listed is an associated person or agent of a broker or dealer registered with the SEC and/or with a state or states, list the name of the broker or dealer. If more than five (5) persons to be listed are associated persons of such a broker or dealer, you may set forth the information for that broker or dealer only.					
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)					
N/A					
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)					
Name of Associated Broker or Dealer					
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•	1. Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box □ and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged. Type of Security	Aggregate Offering Price	Amount Already Sold
	Debt	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
	Equity	\$ <u>9,000,000</u>	\$ <u>8,390,025</u>
	Convertible Securities (including warrants)	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
	Partnership Interests	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
	Other (Specify)	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
	Total	\$9,000,000	<u>\$8,390,025</u>
2.	2. Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."	Number of Investors	Aggregate Dollar Amount of Purchases
	Accredited Investors	<u>18</u>	\$8,390,025
	Non-accredited Investors	<u>0</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
	Total (for filing under Rule 504 only)	<u>0</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
3.	3. If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C - Question 1.	Type of Security	Dollar Amount Sold
	Type of offering Rule 505	<u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
	Regulation A	N/A	\$ <u>N/A</u>
	Rule 504	<u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
	Total	<u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
4.	a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.		
	Transfer Agent's Fees		\$
	Printing and Engraving Costs		\$
	Legal Fees		\$ <u>100,000</u>
	Accounting Fees		\$
	Engineering Fees.		\$
	Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)		\$
	Other Expenses (identify)		\$
	Total	⊠	\$ <u>100,000</u>

C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

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for each of the purposes shown. If the am-	gross proceeds to the issuer used or proposed to ount for any purpose is not known, furnish an est he total of the payments listed must equal the ad sponse to Part C – Question 4.b. above.	imate and	Payments to Officers, Directors, & Affiliates	Payments To Others
Salaries and fees		🗆 \$		□ \$
Purchase of real estate		🗆 \$		□ \$
Purchase, rental or leasing and in	stallation of machinery and equipment	🗆 \$		<b>\$</b>
Construction or leasing of plant bu	ildings and facilities	🗆 \$		<b>\$</b>
offering that may be used in excha	uding the value of securities involved in this ange for the assets or securities of another	🗆 \$		□ \$
Repayment of indebtedness		🗆 \$		<b>\$</b>
Working capital		🗆 \$.		
Other (specify):		<b></b> \$		<b>\$</b>
· 		🗆 \$.		<b>\$</b>
Column Totals		🗆 \$		□ \$
Total Payments Listed (column tot	als added)			<u>00</u>
	D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE			
ollowing signature constitutes an undertaki	e signed by the undersigned duly authorized ping by the issuer to furnish to the U.S. Securiting by the issuer to any non-accredited investor	es and Excha	nge Commission	on, upon written
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David Sneider	Vice President and Chief Financial Offic	er		
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